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<i>First Inventor</i>	L. Levesque
<i>Title</i>	DRUG ELUTING DEVICE FOR TREATING VASCULAR DISEASES
<i>Express Mail Label No.</i>	EL565098489US

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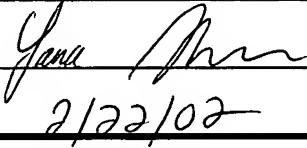
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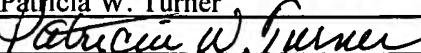
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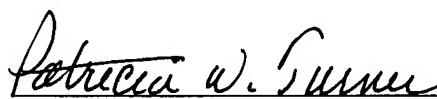
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